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Small Entity

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) In re application of: Toshihiko Ashikara et al..

Application No.: 08/894,356 Filed: August 18, 1997

For: GENE ENCODING A PROTEIN HAVING ACYL GROUP TRANSFER ACTIVITY

Art Unit: 1638 Examiner: Medina Ahmed Ibrahim

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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XX		Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$ 510							
		Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$ 795							
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